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ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT OUTPUT PROGRESSES

FOURTH DNEPR GENERATOR BEGUN -- Leningradskaya Pravda, No 110, 12 May 49

The "Elektrosila" Plant imeni S. M. Kirov in Leningrad has begun construction of the fourth hydrogenerator for the Dnepr GES. A competition has been initiated to finish the machine this year.

SEARCHLIGHT PLANT MAKES GENERATORS -- Moskovskiy Bol'shevik, No 115, 18 May 49

The Moscow Searchlight Plant has begun serial production of generators for farm use.

YEREVAN PLANT PRODUCES SPECIAL INSULATION -- Kommunist, No 8, 11 Jan 49

The Yerevan Electrical Machine-Building Plant has opened a new shop for production of bakelite items and other insulating material of high resistance for use in transformers. The plant previously received these products from Moscow.

Kommunist, No 111, 13 May 49

The Yerevan Electrical Machine-Building Plant achieved great production successes during the first 4 months of 1949. It exceeded its plans according to gross production and quantity of production, producing 720 percent more generators and 70 percent more transformers than during the corresponding period of 1948.

BREAKAGE PERCENTAGE DOWN -- Leningradskaya Pravda, No 112, 14 May 49

During April, breakage in the "Proletariy" Insulation Plant in Leningrad was 13 percent of all production. The plant makes high-voltage porcelain insulation for the electrical industry. The breakage is due in part to impure raw material, much of which is shipped to the plant in open freight cars.

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